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## PROCLAMATIONS BY THE GOVERNOR.

IN the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

### PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY EDWARD MCCALLUM, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty the King, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS certain by-laws have been made for the Western Province, under the provisions of section 19 of the Vehicles Ordinance, No. 9 of 1901, and published by a Proclamation dated March 1, 1906:

And whereas it is expedient to determine the operation of by-law No. 31 of the said by-laws within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo, and to substitute therefor a fresh by-law for the town of Colombo within the said limits:

Now know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by section 19 of the said Ordinance, and with the advice of the Executive Council, do hereby substitute for the said by-law No. 31, in so far as it applies within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo, the by-law set

forth in the schedule hereto, and declare that the said substituted by-law shall come into effect within the Municipal limits of the town of Colombo as from and after January 1, 1909.

And We do hereby in all other respects confirm the said by-law published on March 1, 1906.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twentieth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eight.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

BY-LAW REFERRED TO.

Every person driving a motor vehicle shall have ready and available for immediate use a suitable horn, or in the case of a motor cycle, a suitable horn or bell, capable of giving audible and sufficient warning of his approach and position, and shall sound the same whenever expedient to prevent danger to any of the public.

Horns shall not be used to warn the public of the approach of any vehicle other than motor carriages.

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HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS by a Proclamation bearing date February 2, 1893, issued under the provisions of section 34 of "The Forest Ordinance, 1889," the forest specified in the schedule thereto was constituted a village forest for the benefit of the village community of Madampe Gabadagama, in the Meda pattu of Atakalan korale, Province of Sabaragamuwa, and whereas it is expedient to exclude from the said Proclamation the portions of the said forest specified in the schedule hereto, and to that extent to vary the said Proclamation :

Now therefore know Ye that We, the Governor of Ceylon, in exercise of the power vested in Us by section 14 of the Forest Ordinance, No. 16 of 1907, do hereby vary the said Proclamation, and declare that from and after November 25, 1908, the portion of the said village forest specified in the schedule hereto shall be excluded from and deemed to form no part of the village forest constituted by the aforesaid Proclamation of February 2, 1893.

And We do in all other respects confirm the said Proclamation.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Twenty-first day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eight.

By His Excellency's command,

GOD SAVE THE KING.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

SCHEDULE.

Lot 160 in preliminary plan No. 7,808, situated in the village Madampe, in the Meda pattu of Atakalan korale, in the District of Ratnapura, Province of Sabaragamuwa ; bounded on the north by lots 130, 131, and 163 in preliminary plan No. 7,808, on the east by lots 162 and 161½ in preliminary plan No. 7,808, on the south by lots 161 and 175 in preliminary plan No. 7,808, and on the west by lots 159 and 128½ in preliminary plan No. 7,808.

In the Name of His Majesty EDWARD THE SEVENTH, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland and of the British Dominions beyond the Seas, King, Defender of the Faith.

PROCLAMATION.

By His Excellency Sir HENRY EDWARD MCCALLUM, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George, Aide-de-Camp to His Majesty the King, Governor and Commander-in-Chief in and over the Island of Ceylon, with the Dependencies thereof.

HENRY MCCALLUM.

WHEREAS the rules set forth in the schedule hereto were made by His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Executive Council, under the provisions of section 9 of the Poisons Ordinance, No. 11 of 1901, and published in two successive issues of the *Government Gazette*, namely, of January 10 and 17, 1908, in the English, Sinhalese, and Tamil languages, and laid before the Legislative Council.

And whereas the said rules were not objected to by the said Legislative Council then in session within forty days after their having been so laid before the said Council :

Now know Ye that We, the said Governor, in exercise of the power vested in Us by sub-section (3) of section 10 of the said Poisons Ordinance, No. 11 of 1901, do hereby proclaim the rules set forth in the schedule hereto, and declare that the same shall take effect as from and after the date hereof.

Given at Colombo, in the said Island of Ceylon, this Tenth day of November, in the year of our Lord One thousand Nine hundred and Eight.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

GOD SAVE THE KING.

#### SCHEDULE.

1. In these regulations, unless the context otherwise requires, the term "cocaine" shall include all preparations of cocaine and salts of cocaine and their preparations, and the term "doctor" shall mean a medical practitioner registered as such under Ordinance No. 2 of 1905.

2. In issuing any license under section 4 of the Ordinance the Government Agent may in express terms exempt from the rights granted by such license the right to sell cocaine, and it shall not be lawful for the licensee on a license containing such an exemption to sell or expose or offer for sale cocaine in any quantity.

3. No person licensed to sell poisons, including cocaine, by retail, shall sell cocaine by retail to any person other than a person known to him or introduced by some person known to him.

4. No licensed person shall sell by retail more than six grains of cocaine in a dry state or any solution containing more than ten grains of the active drug to the same person on the same day, unless the buyer is a qualified medical practitioner or a chemist or druggist licensed to sell poisons.

5. No person licensed to sell poisons, including cocaine by retail, shall keep in stock more than one ounce of cocaine.

6. None of the foregoing regulations shall apply to cocaine when forming part of the ingredients of any medicine dispensed by an apothecary or chemist and druggist on a doctor's prescription ; but all prescriptions, if containing cocaine, shall be entered in a book kept for that purpose, to be called the Prescription Book, with the name of the person to whom it was sold and the name of the doctor prescribing. The name and address of the seller shall be attached to the receptacle containing the medicine prescribed.

7. No person licensed to sell poisons, including cocaine, by wholesale, shall sell cocaine by wholesale, except—

- (a) To persons licensed to sell poisons, including cocaine, by wholesale or retail.
- (b) To a qualified medical practitioner.

8. No person licensed to sell poisons, including cocaine, by wholesale—

- (a) Shall sell to any person whomsoever cocaine in less quantities than one ounce of dry cocaine.
- (b) Shall sell cocaine to retail dealers or to qualified medical practitioners, save in quantities of one ounce.
- (c) Shall sell cocaine in quantities exceeding one ounce, except to persons licensed to sell poisons, including cocaine by wholesale.

9. All cocaine arriving in the Island consigned to any wholesale dealer shall be declared at the Customs premises as cocaine, and shall only be removed from the Customs or Post Office with a permit on the following form :—

<p><i>Counterfoil.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Cocaine Permit.</p> <p>No. : _____</p> <p>Date of Application : _____</p> <p>Name of Applicant : _____</p> <p>Address in full : _____</p> <p>Locality of the licensed premises : _____</p> <p>Quantity to be transported —oz. —dr. —grs.</p> <p>Name of the Custom-house or the Post Office issuing the Permit : _____</p> <p>Period of currency : _____</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____ <i>Signature of the Officer issuing Permit.</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Cocaine Permit.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">Dated _____, 190—.</p> <p>No. _____</p> <p>_____ wholesale dealer in cocaine at _____ is hereby permitted to transport _____oz.—dr.—gr. of cocaine to his licensed premises at _____ from the Custom-house or Post Office at _____.</p> <p>The permit shall be carried with the consignment of the drug the transport of which it is intended to cover, and is current until _____. * It must be filed in the licensed premises.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">_____ <i>Signature of the Officer issuing Permit.</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">* Date and hour.</p>
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10. Any person applying for a license to sell poisons, including cocaine, by wholesale, shall describe in his application the premises in which he intends keeping cocaine, as hereunder :—

Street or Door Number or other particulars.	Bounded by				Remarks.
	North.	East.	South.	West.	

And such person on receiving a license as aforesaid shall keep cocaine in such premises and no other.

11. Every wholesale dealer in poisons, including cocaine, shall keep a book in the following form showing the correct daily sale of cocaine :—

Date.	Balance in hand yesterday.	Quantity received this day and whence received.	Total quantity to be accounted for	Quantity sold this day.	Name of Purchaser	Address.	Remain- ing in Store.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
	oz. grs.	oz. grs.	oz. grs.	oz. grs.			oz. grs.	

12. The book mentioned in regulation 10 shall be open to the inspection at any time for an officer of police not below the rank of Assistant Superintendent, who shall verify the amount of cocaine in stock.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., BY THE GOVERNOR.

No. 395 of 1908.

**H**IS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments :—

Mr. F. BARTLETT to act in the office of Government Agent, Province of Uva; Fiscal for the Province of Uva; Additional District Judge, Badulla; Superintendent of the Prison at Badulla; Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the Province of Uva; and Member of the Board of Health, Province of Uva, with effect from November 24, 1908, during the absence of Mr. H. WHITE owing to illness and until relieved by Mr. J. O'K. MURTY.

Mr. K. PERKS to act in the office of Office Assistant at Kandy to the Government Agent, Central Province, with effect from November 24, 1908, during the employment of Mr. E. T. MILLINGTON on other duty, or until further orders.

Mr. E. T. MILLINGTON to act in the office of Assistant at Nuwara Eliya to the Government

Agent, Central Province; Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Nuwara Eliya; Superintendent of the Prison at Nuwara Eliya; and Local Authority under the Petroleum Ordinance for the District of Nuwara Eliya, with effect from November 24, 1908, during the employment of Mr. F. BARTLETT on other duty, or until further orders.

Mr. W. E. THORPE to be Additional District Judge, Kalutara, for November 27 and 28, 1908, in addition to his own duties.

Mr. J. J. KOERTZ to act as District Judge and Additional Commissioner of Requests, Negombo, for November 25, 1908, during the absence of Mr. E. B. DENHAM from the station or until further orders.

Mr. H. J. M. WICKRAMARATNE to act as Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Balapitiya, for November 14 and 15, 1908, during the absence of Mr. H. J. V. EKANAYAKE on leave.

Notification No. 387 of November 17, 1908, published in the *Gazette* of November 20, 1908, is

cancelled so far as it relates to Mr. H. J. M. WICKRAMARATNE.

Mr. M. M. SUBRAMANIAM to act as Additional Commissioner of Requests and Police Magistrate, Trincomalee, with effect from November 25, 1908, during the absence of Mr. T. A. CAREY and until relieved by Mr. H. W. MILLIGAN.

Mr. A. E. BRACE to act as Assistant Collector of Customs, Landing Surveyor, Receiver of Wrecks, and Master Attendant, Trincomalee, with effect from November 25, 1908, during the absence of Mr. T. A. CAREY and until relieved by Mr. H. W. MILLIGAN, in addition to his own duties.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 25, 1908.

No. 396 of 1908.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint the under-mentioned persons to be Assessors for the town of Puttalam for the year 1909, under the provisions of section 5 of Ordinance No. 7 of 1866 and section 31 of Ordinance No. 13 of 1898:—

Mr. S. JURIS CHETTY.  
Mr. W. H. SCHEFFER.  
Mr. P. M. M. KADER SAIBU MARIKAR.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 26, 1908.

No. 397 of 1908.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. CHARLES PERERA WJEWARDANA JAYATILAKA of Udugampola to

be a Notary Public throughout Dunagaha pattu of the Negombo District, with residence and office at Dunagaha, and an additional office at Badalgama, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 25, 1908.

No. 398 of 1908.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. EDWARD ARNOLIS GURUSINHA of Beruwala to be a Notary Public throughout the Four Gravets of Galle town, with residence and office in the Galle Bazaar and an additional office at Mahamodera, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 25, 1908.

No. 399 of 1908.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to appoint Mr. DON BARON PERIS KARUNARATNE of Mattumagalla, Ragama, to be a Notary Public throughout Weudawili hatpattu division, exclusive of the Kurunegala town, of the Kurunegala District, with residence and office at Weuda and an additional office at Pilessa, and to practise as such in the Sinhalese language.

By His Excellency's command,

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 25, 1908.

## APPOINTMENTS, &c., OF REGISTRARS.

HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

Mr. E. T. ABENAYAKA to act as Registrar of Lands, Kandy, for two weeks and two days from November 14, 1908, during the absence of Mudaliyar J. G. DE SILVA on leave.

MARASINHA MUDIYANSELAGE MUDALIHAMI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Udukaha Korale West division and of Marriages (Kandyan and General) of Dambadeni hatpattu division, in the Kurunegala District of the North-Western Province,

for twelve weeks and six days, with effect from December 1, 1908, during the absence of the Registrar, M. S. M. UKKU BANDA, on leave. His office will be at Medagoda.

By His Excellency's command,

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 24, 1908.

THE following appointments under section 3 of Ordinance No. 23 of 1900 and section 7 of Ordinance No. 19 of 1907 are hereby notified :—

The Provincial Registrar, Anuradhapura, has appointed Dr. H. HUYBERTSZ to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of the Anuradhapura town division, in the Anuradhapura District of the North-Central Province, for twelve days from November 19, 1908, during the absence of Dr. C. B. LOURENSZ, transferred. His office will be at the Civil Hospital, Anuradhapura.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Mullaittivu, has appointed Mr. KAITHAR MALANAPILLAI to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Chinnacheddikulam East division, in the Mullaittivu District of the Northern Province, for thirty days from November 23, 1908, *vice* Mr. V. ANTONIPILLAI, dismissed. His office will be at his residence at Vakaikaddinalukkulam.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed DANIEL MIGEL PERERA to act as Registrar

of Births and Deaths of Midigama division and of Marriages (General) of Weligam korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for November 26, 1908, during the absence of S. M. PERERA, on leave. His office will be at Batawala-kandewatta in Batawala-Pategama and Palugawatta in Weligama.

The Assistant Provincial Registrar, Matara, has appointed LOUIS GUNASEKARA to act as Registrar of Births and Deaths of Uduwaka division and of Marriages (General) of Morawak korale division, in the Matara District of the Southern Province, for four days from November 18, 1908, during the absence of P. L. ISAN APPU, on leave. His office will be at Bandarawatta in Deniyaya and Tennapitawatta in Viharahena.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 29, 1908.

### GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATIONS.

IT is hereby notified that an examination under the Regulations of August 26, 1891, for gentlemen in the Civil Service will be held in the Council Chamber on Monday, January 18, 1909, at 10.30 A.M., and following days, namely :—

Monday, January 18	.. Sinhalese	Thursday, January 21	.. Law
Tuesday, January 19	.. Law	Friday, January 22	.. Accounts
Wednesday, January 20	.. Law	Saturday, January 23	.. Tamil

The examination in the Criminal Procedure Code prescribed under the Minute of March 26, 1900, for officers in the Fourth Class of the Civil Service, will also be held on January 19, 1909, as well as at the Kandy Kachcheri.

*It is also hereby notified that candidates will be given the option of using Codes in the examination in the Criminal Procedure Code and the Penal Code; they must, however, state when sending in their names what their decision is, as the character of the papers set for those who use Codes and those who do not will be different.*

The *viva voce* examination in the native languages for officers in the Public Works Department, the Irrigation Department, the Forest Department, and the Railway Department will be held at the same time and place.

Candidates are required to send in their names not later than December 24, 1908.

Gentlemen in the Civil Service should state in their applications whether they are presenting themselves for the first or second examination, and whether they intend taking up Sinhalese or Tamil, and whether they wish to have the option of using Codes.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 17, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified that the Local Board of Health and Improvement of the town of Matale has, with the sanction of HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR in Executive Council, in terms of section 30 of "The Local Boards' Ordinance, 1898," imposed and levied for the year 1909, over and above the sums necessary for the maintenance of the police of the same town, a rate of 4 per centum on the annual value of all houses and buildings of every description, and all lands and tenements whatsoever within the said town of Matale, subject to the provisions of the aforesaid section, as the rate to endure for the period of twelve months from January 1 to December 31, 1909.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

IT is hereby notified for general information that the under-mentioned Clerks in Class III. of the Clerical Service have passed the examination prescribed in the Minute dated June 16, 1908, in the subjects noted against their names :—

Mr. B. S. P. MENDIS, Sinhalese (a) and (b).  
Mr. C. CHELLIAH, Tamil (a) and (b).  
Mr. K. R. CHELLIAH, Tamil (a).

Mr. Y. M. T. SUBASINHA, Tamil (b).  
Mr. C. E. P. DE SILVA, Accounts.  
Mr. C. E. PIERIS, Accounts.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 25, 1908.

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

IT is notified for information that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in exercise of the powers vested in him by section 2 of the Ordinance No. 9 of 1881, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to repeal regulation 281 of the regulations dated March 27, 1893, relating to Ceylon Volunteers, and to substitute therefor the regulation set forth in the schedule hereto with effect as from and after December 1, 1908.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 26, 1908.

H. L. CRAWFORD,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

#### SCHEDULE.

281. Officers of the Volunteer Force travelling on duty will draw subsistence allowance for each night they may be necessarily absent from their stations. The issue of these rates will be regulated by the substantive rank they hold, as under :—

Field Officers	..	..	Rs. 10 per diem.
Others Officers	..	..	„ 6 do.

Half the above rates will be allowed on day of return after one or more nights, absence from station. In cases where an officer's absence does not amount to six hours, he will not be entitled to any subsistence allowance, but when the absence extends beyond six hours and does not involve remaining away from his station a whole night, the allowance will be half the daily rate.

IT is hereby notified that HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, in exercise of the power vested in him by section 5 of the Ceylon Railways Ordinance, No. 9 of 1902, and with the advice of the Executive Council, has been pleased to revoke rule No. 26 of the rules dated October 11, 1907, for the conveyance of goods traffic by railway, and to substitute therefor the rule set forth in the schedule hereto with effect as from and after December 1, 1908.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 23, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### SCHEDULE.

Fruit and vegetables in lots not exceeding 56 lb. from one consignor to one consignee will be booked by goods trains at goods rates from goods stations above Peradeniya Junction to Coast Line Stations, Kollupitiya to Alutgama, inclusive, which are not goods stations.

Fruit and vegetables so booked will be conveyed by goods train to Colombo, and will be forwarded from Colombo to the Coast Line Stations by passenger train.

IT is hereby notified for general information that a special license, under the provisions of rule 39, made by HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR, with the advice of the Executive Council, under section 4 of Ordinance No. 2 of 1896, and published in the *Government Gazette* of September 11, 1908, has been granted to the under-mentioned gentleman for the purpose of issuing certificates to any persons having control of any boiler or boilers used in any factory:—

Mr. H. B. RATSEY, Engineer, Imperial Light Service, Ceylon and Minicoy.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 20, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

WHEREAS under the provisions of section 1 of the Ordinance No. 4 of 1887, intituled "An Ordinance relating to Lands alienated by the Crown which are abandoned by the Owners thereof," notice was duly published in the English, Sinhalese, and Tamil languages in the *Government Gazette* on November 18, 1904, January 20, 1905, March 10, 1905, May 12, 1905, July 14, 1905, September 15, 1905; in the *Times of Ceylon* on January 18, 19, 20, 21, 23, and 24, 1905; in the *Sarasavi Sandaresa* on January 13, 17, 20, 24, 27, and 31, 1905; and in the *Muslim Friend* on January 14, 18, 21, 25, 28, 1905, and February 1, 1905, respectively, that the allotments of land described in the schedule hereto, situated in the village Pattiyagama in Hewawisse korale, in Pata Hewaheta division of the Kandy District, Central Province, which had been alienated by the Crown, appeared to the Government Agent of the Central Province to have been abandoned by the owners thereof for eight years and upwards, and that neither such owners nor any person claiming under them could be ascertained, notwithstanding all reasonably diligent inquiry thereunto made by the said Government Agent; and the said Government Agent, by virtue of the powers vested in him by the said section 1 of the said Ordinance, and with the sanction of the Governor, declared that if no claims to the said lands be made to the Government Agent by or on behalf of any person able to establish a title thereto within the period specified in the said notice, the same would be resumed by the Crown in pursuance of the said Ordinance; and whereas the said notice was duly posted as by the said Ordinance required on the said allotments of land:

And whereas in terms of section 3 of the said Ordinance a claim was made by Wahalatantrige Samuel Perera, Seyna Ina Idroos, and Charles L. de Alwis Seneviratne within the period specified in the said notice, and the said Government Agent, having called upon the said claimants to establish their claim within a certain time, did inquire into the said claim and record all evidence adduced in support of the said claim:

And whereas the said Government Agent thereafter made a report to the said Governor as prescribed by section 3 of the said Ordinance, stating that the said lands have been claimed by Wahalatantrige Samuel Perera, Seyna Ina Idroos, and Charles L. de Alwis Seneviratne, and giving a description of the said lands, the proceedings taken, the boundaries of the said lands, and setting forth the nature of the claims made in respect thereof, the evidence taken in support of such claims, and his finding thereon:

And whereas the said Governor in Executive Council, having entertained doubts as to the right of the said Wahalatantrige Samuel Perera, Seyna Ina Idroos, and Charles L. de Alwis Seneviratne, did in manner prescribed in section 4 of the said Ordinance refer the said claims to the District Court of Kandy, and the Judge of the said Court having fixed a day for the investigation of the claims with notice thereof to the claimants and the Attorney-General, and after hearing such evidence as the claimants and the Attorney-General had adduced, did decide that in his opinion the right of the claimants had not been established:

It is hereby notified for general information that His Excellency the Governor in Executive Council, in exercise of the powers vested in him by the 5th section of the said Ordinance, doth make order that the said allotments of land described in the schedule hereto shall be resumed by the Crown, and the same are hereby resumed by and vested in and become the property of the Crown free from all encumbrances.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, November 23, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

#### SCHEDULE.

1. The land described in title plan No. 58,994, lot 2,366 in preliminary plan No. 557, called Galhainekelle; bounded on the north and north-east by land said to belong to the Crown and by a road, on the east and south-east by a road, on the south by land said to belong to the Crown, on the south-west, west, and north-west by a path and by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent, exclusive of the path and water-courses passing through the land, 9 acres and 8 perches.
2. The land described in title plan No. 52,883, lot 167 in preliminary plan No. 36, called Ensalgollekelle; bounded on the north and north-west by a path on the north-east by a path, by land said to belong to the Crown, and by a water-course, on the south-east by land claimed by natives, by land purchased by Polgedara Bawa, and by land said to belong to the Crown, on the south-west and west by land said to belong to the Crown; containing in extent 12 acres and 3 roods.



THE following rules made under the provisions of section 12 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 8 of 1905, by the District Committee of Puttalam, have been approved by His Excellency the Governor and the Executive Council, and are published for general information under section 13 of the said Ordinance.

By His Excellency's command,

Colonial Secretary's Office,  
Colombo, October 2, 1908.

HUGH CLIFFORD,  
Colonial Secretary.

*Rules made by the District Committee of Puttalam District under the provisions of Section 12 of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 8 of 1905.*

1. Two members of the District Committee shall form a quorum.
2. In the absence of the President at any meeting one of the members present shall be elected as President for the occasion.
3. The meetings of the District Committee shall be held at Anamaduwa on the first Saturday of every month. The Committee shall have power, however, to meet at any other time or any other place in the district, due notice of change of time and place being given to members.
4. The President shall have power to convene a special meeting of the Committee by giving not less than three days' notice in writing, and any two members of the Committee shall have power to call upon the President to convene a special meeting in case of any emergency.
5. The Committee shall appoint one of their members as Honorary Secretary, and shall employ as many clerks and messengers as may be found necessary.
6. The Honorary Secretary shall enter in a book the business to be placed before each meeting, and shall record in another the minutes of the proceedings of each meeting, and the minutes shall be read and confirmed from time to time at every subsequent meeting, the President signing such confirmation.
7. Every question coming before the meeting shall be decided by a majority of votes. Whenever the votes of members present happen to be equally divided, the President shall, besides his own vote as a member, have a casting vote.
8. All accounts, statements, and returns shall be kept in the forms marked A, B, C, D, E, F, G, H, I, J, K, L, M, N, O, P, Q, and R.
9. The District Committee shall be bound to accept any forms prescribed under section 25 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905, if there be any.
10. The incumbent priest, if he be one who is acknowledged by the District Committee as required by rule No. 29, may open temple schools, and all possible assistance shall be rendered by the District Committee for such institutions.
11. Each temple shall contribute an amount proportionate to its income for defraying the expenses already incurred or to be incurred by the District Committee in carrying out the provisions of the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance.
12. Each sub-district member shall on or before March 31 in each year prepare and transmit to the District Committee—
  - (a) Estimates showing the probable receipt of each temple within its jurisdiction for the ensuing year.
  - (b) Estimates of proposed disbursements for the next ensuing year.
13. The District Committee shall carefully revise the estimate made by the sub-district member, and shall assess and determine the amount which each temple shall contribute. The President of the District Committee shall then return the estimates to the sub-district members, who shall recover from the trustees of the different temples the amount payable by each.
14. If there be any temple which requires improvements, but has not sufficient funds for the purpose, the dayakayas may attend to such necessary improvements, the District Committee rendering any assistance which it is able to render.
15. The sub-district members shall recover and remit to the District Committee all sums so assessed due by the different temples on or before June 30 in every year. The District Committee shall then remit on application to each of the sub-district members the amount sanctioned in the estimate that has been revised and passed.
16. The President of the District Committee shall deposit in a bank selected by the Committee all contributions from temples, as well as all income derived from other sources, and shall make disbursements under the directions of the Committee. At every monthly meetings of the Committee the President shall submit a statement of receipts and expenditure, and produce its bank book and cheque book for inspection.
17. At the end of each financial year the trustees shall remit to the District Committee through the sub-district members all surplus sums which they may have in their hands. The President shall deposit such moneys as a special fund, and shall under the directions of the Committee advance from time to time such amounts as the trustees may actually require for the use and benefit of the different temples.

18. All moneys, whether small or large, received by the trustees under the names of bulathhurulla, madaran, panuh, either in cash or kind, which comes within the meaning of the terms offerings, rents, issues, and profits in section 20 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905, shall be faithfully and correctly accounted for by every trustee, and it shall be the duty of every trustee to keep a receipt book in duplicate and to enter therein receipts for all sums and other things received by them as offerings, rents, issues, and profits. A copy of such receipt shall be issued to the persons from whom such offerings, rents, issues, and profits are received, and the counterfoil receipts shall be retained as a voucher and produced when accounts are rendered.

19. No trustee shall on any pretext whatever sell or otherwise dispose off any movable property of any temple without obtaining the sanction in writing of the District Committee, and in the case of such sanction being obtained, the sale shall be by public auction.

20. Every trustee shall be bound to furnish the District Committee through the sub-district member a full and correct list of movable and immovable property belonging to the temple of which he is trustee within a month of the publication of these rules. Any trustee can with the permission of the District Committee grant a lease of land belonging to the temple of which he is trustee.

21. No trustee shall grant any lease of temple lands without the sanction in writing of the District Committee, and where such sanction has been obtained, it shall be the duty of the trustee to put up the right of possession for sale by public auction after one month's clear notice of the sale. The highest bidder at such sales shall be entitled to obtain a lease from the trustee, subject to the approval of the District Committee.

22. No trustee shall absent himself from the district in which he resides for any period exceeding seven days without the permission in writing of the District Committee.

23. Each trustee shall be bound to give any information called for by the sub-district member, and each sub-district member shall be bound to give any information called for by the District Committee.

24. The District Committee shall have power whenever they deem it necessary or expedient to authorize one or more of its members to inspect and report upon the condition and management of any temple, and the expenses of such inspection shall be paid out of the funds of the particular temple.

25. The District Committee shall have power to inspect and examine all books and accounts and papers kept by trustees whenever they deem it necessary.

26. The minutes of proceedings of all elections made by the District Committee for appointment of trustees shall be properly recorded, and the Committee shall have power to issue certificates of recognition under the hand of the President, and such certificates shall be the only proof of appointment, and the name of such trustees shall be published in the *Ceylon Government Gazette*.

27. Each trustee shall after proper inquiry furnish the District Committee through the sub-district member with a correct list of the villagers attached to each temple.

28. The Karaka Sangasabhawa of the Malwatte Vihare shall constitute the board of electors for selecting and appointing incumbents to any Buddhist temple belonging to that College. Similarly, the Karaka Sangasabhawa of Asgiriya shall constitute the board of electors for selecting and appointing incumbents to any Buddhist temple belonging to that College.

29. Each Sangasabhawa shall, in accordance with Ecclesiastical Law or Dharma-vinaya, elect and appoint a qualified and well-conducted person as incumbent of each temple under its jurisdiction, and shall report such appointment to the District Committee through the sub-district member in which the temple may be situated. If the District Committee approve of the election, a certificate of recognition shall be issued to the incumbent under the hand of the President, and such certificate shall be the only proof of appointment.

30. Every charge or charges preferred against an incumbent shall be referred by the District Committee to the Sangasabhawa of the sect to which the incumbent belongs. The Sangasabhawa shall make a careful inquiry into the charge and forward through the sub-district member the full proceedings of the case, together with their decision, to the District Committee, who shall have power either to adopt or reject such decision or institute fresh inquiry. The District Committee shall have power to dismiss from any incumbency any priest found guilty of any offence which in their opinion disqualifies him from holding the incumbency, and shall have further power to stop his maintenance and prevent him from officiating in the temple of which he was incumbent.

31. If any incumbent to whom due notice in writing with a certified copy of the charge or charges preferred against him fail, without showing sufficient cause to appear and answer such charge or charges, the inquiry shall be proceeded with in his absence. Any incumbent who may feel aggrieved by such *ex parte* decision shall be entitled to ask for a full hearing by the Sangasabhawa or by the District Committee, provided he shall show sufficient cause for the default of appearance at the inquiry.

32. Cases referred by District Committee to the Sangasabhawa shall be inquired into and decided within the time fixed by that Committee. If the inquiry be delayed without any cause, the District Committee shall have the right of recalling the papers and of holding the inquiry themselves in coming to a decision.

33. No incumbent priest shall in any way dispose of any movable or immovable property belonging to the temple of which he is incumbent.

34. No incumbent who has been dealt with under rule 30 shall stay in the temple after the decision is confirmed by the District Committee.

35. Breach of rules 33 and 34 shall be liable for a prosecution before a court.

Passed at a meeting of the District Committee held at Anamaduwa on August 10, 1908.

J. H. ILANGANTILAKE,  
President.

FORMS.

A.—List of Immovable Property belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, in Puttalam District.

Name of Property.	Situation.		Extent.			Value.		Remarks.
	Village.	Pattu.	A.	P.	L.	Rs.	c.	

We do certify that the above is a correct list of the immovable property belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, in Puttalam District.

Incumbent Priest.

District Member.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, do hereby declare that I have this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—, taken charge of the above immovable property belonging to the above-named Temple.

Witnesses :

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee.

B.—List of Movable Property belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, in Puttalam District.

Name of Property.	Weight in case of Metal.	Value.		Brands in case of Cattle.		Value.		Other than Cattle or Metal.	Value.		Remarks.
		Rs.	c.	R.	L.	Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	
Total ..											

We do hereby certify that the above is a correct list of the movable property belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, in Puttalam District.

Incumbent Priest.

District Member.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, do hereby declare that I have this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—, taken charge of the above movable property belonging to the above-named temple.

Witnesses :

(1) \_\_\_\_\_

(2) \_\_\_\_\_

Trustee.

C.—Expenditure Statement of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_  
Pattu, in Puttalam District.

Receipts.				Expenditure.						
Date of Receipt.	Particulars.	Amount Received.		Remarks.	Date of Expenditure.	Particulars.	Amount of Expenditure.		Date of Authority to incur such Expenditure.	Remarks.
		Rs.	c.				Rs.	c.		

I do hereby certify that the above is a true statement of the expenditure incurred on account of the above Temple.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Trustee.

D.—List of Godurugama attached to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple.

Name of Temple.	Situation.	Name of Godurugama.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

Correct:

Name of Incumbent Priest: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of District Member: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Trustee.

(Book Form in Duplicate.)

E.—Receipt to be issued for Moneys received by Trustees on leasing out Properties belonging to Temples.

District: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Temple: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Land: \_\_\_\_\_  
Situation: \_\_\_\_\_  
Extent: \_\_\_\_\_  
For what Year: \_\_\_\_\_  
No. of Deed: \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount received: \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of Lessee: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, do hereby certify that I have this day received Rupees \_\_\_\_\_ and Cents \_\_\_\_\_, being lease money due for the above-named land belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

Witnesses:

(1) \_\_\_\_\_  
(2) \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
Trustee.

F.—Half-yearly Statement of Offerings, Rents, Issues, and Profits of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, for the Half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

(Section 22 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905.)

Receipts.			Disbursements.					
Date.	Particulars.	Amount.	Date.	Particulars.	Amount.		Balance.	Remarks.
		Rs.			c.	Rs.		

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, do hereby certify and declare on honour that the above is a true and correct statement of the accounts for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_, 19—, an account of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Trustee.

G.—Income and Expenditure Return of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, in Puttalam District, for the Year \_\_\_\_\_.

Income.				Expenditure.									
Date.	Particulars.	Amount.		Total.		Date.	Particulars.	Amount spent.		Total.	Balance.		Remarks.
		Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.	

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, do hereby certify that the above is a true statement of the income and expenditure incurred on account of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple during the year \_\_\_\_\_.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

Trustee.

(Book Form.)

H.—Detailed Account of the Offerings made to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, and of the Rents, Issues, and Profits received by the Trustee from the Movable and Immovable Property belonging to the said Temple, and of the Disbursements made for the purpose defined in Section 21 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905.

Receipts.				Disbursements.				
Date.	Particulars.	Amount.		Date.	Particulars.	Amount.		Remarks.
		Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.	

(Book Form in Duplicate.)

I.—List of Offerings, Rents, Issues, and Profits of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, in Puttalam District.

(Rule No. 18 of Rules framed under Section 12 Ordinance No. 8 of 1905.)

Date.	Particulars giving Name of Donor.	Offerings.					Rents, &c.	Amount.	Signature of Donor.	Remarks.	
		Weight in case of Metal.	Brands in case of Cattle.		Other than Cattle or Metal.	Value.					
			R.	L.		Rs.					c.

I, \_\_\_\_\_, of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, do hereby acknowledge the receipt of the above \_\_\_\_\_ on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

Trustee.

J.—Statement to be furnished by Incumbent Priests to Trustees and to the President of the District Committee under Section 28 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905.

Annual Income of Offerings.			Name, Extent, and Value of Pangu and other Lands.					Other Lands.				Monthly or Annual Value of Rents, Issues, and Profits.							
Cattle.	Other than Cattle.	Value.	Name of Pangu.	Situation.	Extent.			Value.	Name of Land.	Situation.	Extent.			Particulars.	Value.				
					A.	P.	L.				Rs.	c.	A.			P.	L.	Rs.	c.
					Rs.	c.	Rs.				c.	Rs.	c.			Rs.	c.	Rs.	c.

(Book Form.)

## K.—Expenditure Ledger to be kept by the President of the District Committee.

Date of Application.	By whom.	For what Account.	Amount applied for.		Date of Sanction for Payment.	Amount sanctioned.		Date of Payment.	Remarks.
			Rs.	c.		Rs.	c.		

(Book Form.)

## L.—Account of Moneys received by the President of the District Committee from different Temples.

Date of Receipt.	From whom.	Particulars.	Amount.		Date of Deposit.	Remarks.
			Rs.	c.		

(Book in Duplicate.)

## M.—Receipt Book to be kept by the President.

Received from \_\_\_\_\_, Trustee of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, the sum of Rupees \_\_\_\_\_ and Cents \_\_\_\_\_ only, being \_\_\_\_\_.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
President.

N.—Certificate of recognition to be issued to Incumbent Priest under Rule 29 of Rules framed by the District Committee, under Section 12 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905, and published in *Government Gazette* dated \_\_\_\_\_.

Know Ye all that the District Committee of Puttalam District has this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—, approved of the election of \_\_\_\_\_ by the Karaka Sangasabhawa of \_\_\_\_\_ Vihare as Incumbent Priest of \_\_\_\_\_ Vihare, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu \_\_\_\_\_.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
President.

## O.—Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance, No. 8 of 1905.

## PUTTALAM DISTRICT.

At a Special Meeting of the District Committee under the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance held on \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—, under Section 17 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905, \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, was elected Trustee for \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu.

Know Ye all to whom these presents shall come that the said \_\_\_\_\_ is hereby authorized to exercise all powers vested on him by the said Ordinance No. 8 of 1905 as Trustee, and to perform all duties as Trustee of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple at \_\_\_\_\_ for a period of three years from the date hereof, unless the same shall resign, die, or be dismissed.

This \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
President.

## P.—Sanction to demise Land belonging to Temples as required by Section 27 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905.

Sanction is hereby given to \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, Trustees of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, to lease out the property called and known as \_\_\_\_\_, situate at \_\_\_\_\_, in \_\_\_\_\_ Pattu, belonging to \_\_\_\_\_ Temple, for a period of \_\_\_\_\_ years at Rupees \_\_\_\_\_ and Cents \_\_\_\_\_ per annum.

Given under my hand at \_\_\_\_\_, this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
President.

Q.—Security Bond to be entered into by a Trustee under Section 17 of Ordinance No. 8 of 1905.

Be it remembered that we, \_\_\_\_\_, are jointly and severally held and firmly bound to the District Committee under the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance in Puttalam District, in the sum of Rupees \_\_\_\_\_, that is to say, the said \_\_\_\_\_ Rupees \_\_\_\_\_, and the said \_\_\_\_\_ Rupees \_\_\_\_\_ for which payment to be well and truly made we bind ourselves, our heirs, executors, and administrators, and all our property firmly by these presents.

The condition of the recognizance is that if the above bounded \_\_\_\_\_ shall well and truly perform the duties of Trustee of \_\_\_\_\_ Temple without wilfully neglecting such duties for a term of three years (unless the said \_\_\_\_\_ shall resign or die within the said period of three years), then this recognizance shall be void or otherwise shall be in full force and virtue.

Signed in my presence this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
President.

R.—Notice of Meetings.

A \_\_\_\_\_ Meeting under the Buddhist Temporalities Ordinance will be held at \_\_\_\_\_, on \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 19—.

\_\_\_\_\_  
President.

### MISCELLANEOUS DEPARTMENTAL NOTICES.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Registration of Marriages, other than the Marriages of Kandyans or of Muhammadans," I, Ponnambalam Arunachalam, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the under-mentioned building, used as a place of public Christian worship, has been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein:—

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister or Proprietor or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
216	November 19, 1908	St. Joseph's Church	Sembatta, Puttalam division, Puttalam	The Very Rev. A. Coudert, O.M.I., Archbishop of Colombo, Proprietor	Roman Catholic

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 24, 1908.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

IN pursuance of the provisions of section 12 of the Ordinance No. 19 of 1907, intituled "An Ordinance to consolidate and amend the Laws relating to the Registration of Marriages, other than the Marriages of Kandyans or of Muhammadans," I, Ponnambalam Arunachalam, Registrar-General of Ceylon, do hereby notify that the under-mentioned building, used as a place of public Christian worship, has been duly registered for the solemnization of marriages therein:—

No.	Date of Registration.	Description.	Situation.	Minister or Proprietor or Trustee.	Religious Denomination on whose behalf the Building is registered.
217	November 23, 1908	School Room	Railway Approach road, Dehiwala, Salpiti korale, Colombo	Rev. William Sinclair, Minister	Dutch Reformed Church (Presbyterian)

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 26, 1908.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General

## Monitors' Examination, 1908.

LIST of successful candidates in order of merit.

Order of Index Merit.		No.		Name.	THIRD YEAR.		Marks.
				Males.		Maximum	800
				School.			
1	..	6	..	D. J. Atukorala	..	Kumbaloluwa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 532
2	..	52	..	D. O. Amarakoon	..	Biyagama Vernacular Boys' School	.. 528
3	..	45	..	M. Ranasinghe	..	Ganemulla Vernacular Boys' School	.. 524
4	..	44	..	D. D. Rajapakse	..	Nedagamuwa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 521
5	..	115	..	L. Julian Sinno	..	Migahatenna Vernacular Boys' School	.. 515
6	..	96	..	A. Silva	..	Alutgama Vernacular Boys' School	.. 511
7	..	42	..	Peter Sinno	..	Danowita Vernacular Boys' School	.. 508
8	..	21	..	D. H. Jayasingha	..	Doranegoda Vernacular Boys' School	.. 506
9	..	46	..	S. P. Ranasinghe	..	Tihariya Vernacular Boys' School	.. 502
10	..	15	..	R. A. W. Fernando	..	Wekada Vernacular Boys' School	.. 500
11	..	26	..	W. D. Julis	..	Kossina Vernacular Boys' School	.. 499
12	..	166a	..	Migel Sinno	..	Nildandahena Vernacular Boys' School	.. 497
13	..	18	..	D. S. P. Jayakody	..	Godigamuwa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 490
14	..	7	..	B. T. Basnayaka	..	Nedagamuwa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 488
15	..	25	..	W. Don Joronis	..	Udutattiripitiya Vernacular Boys' School	.. 480
15	..	105	..	M. A. Charles	..	Induruwe Anglo-Vernacular Boys' School	.. 480
17	..	49	..	D. D. Telanis	..	Urupola Vernacular Boys' School	.. 479
18	..	152	..	M. G. Abayatna	..	Gunnepana Vernacular Boys' School	.. 477
19	..	164	..	S. K. D. Juwanis Appuhamy	..	Peradeniya Anglo-Vernacular Boys' School	.. 472
20	..	18	..	Issan Appu	..	Mugurugampola Vernacular Boys' School	.. 471
21	..	61	..	C. D. Henry	..	Government Training College	.. 468
22	..	111	..	M. Hendrick	..	Beruwala Anglo-Vernacular Boys' School	.. 466
23	..	172	..	H. M. D. B. Samarakoon	..	Idamagama Vernacular Boys' School	.. 455
24	..	143	..	A. Ratnayake	..	Galapitamada Vernacular Boys' School	.. 454
25	..	181	..	P. B. Marasingha	..	Pannala Vernacular Boys' School	.. 452
26	..	50	..	D. R. Weerasinghe	..	Tihariya Vernacular Boys' School	.. 447
27	..	67	..	H. Perera	..	Udupila Vernacular Boys' School	.. 446
27	..	28	..	Kirinelis	..	Galahitiyawa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 445
28	..	60	..	B. Hendrick	..	Daranagama Vernacular Boys' School	.. 445
28	..	104	..	W. Caranelis	..	Beruwala Anglo-Vernacular Boys' School	.. 445
28	..	167	..	B. G. Mudiyanse	..	Gunnepana Vernacular Boys' School	.. 445
32	..	70	..	A. Peries	..	Palugama Vernacular Boys' School	.. 443
32	..	169	..	P. M. Mudiyanse	..	Madawala Ulpota Vernacular Boys' School	.. 443
34	..	122	..	L. Silva	..	Malawanbedde Vernacular Boys' School	.. 441
35	..	175	..	R. B. Wijetunga	..	Udagammedda Vernacular Boys' School	.. 438
36	..	29	..	S. Kirinelis	..	Kirillawela Vernacular Boys' School	.. 432
37	..	51	..	D. A. Wickramasundara	..	Nedagamuwa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 431
37	..	184	..	M. Wijesinha	..	Kuliyapitiya Vernacular Boys' School	.. 431
39	..	10	..	D. H. Disanayaka	..	Pattalagedera Vernacular Boys' School	.. 430
40	..	171	..	K. B. Rajanayaka	..	Talatu-oya Vernacular Boys' School	.. 429
41	..	135	..	D. A. Ranatunga	..	Hettimulla Vernacular Boys' School	.. 426
42	..	40	..	W. P. Patirana	..	Pasyala Vernacular Boys' School	.. 423
43	..	86	..	W. Kirinelis	..	Kulupana Vernacular Boys' School	.. 418
44	..	5	..	C. Appuhamy	..	Udugampola Anglo-Vernacular Boys' School	.. 417
44	..	8	..	J. D. Carolis	..	Minuwangoda Vernacular Boys' School	.. 417
46	..	138	..	W. Mudiyanse	..	Mabopitiya Vernacular Boys' School	.. 416
46	..	151	..	P. K. Ratranhami	..	Marapana Vernacular Boys' School	.. 416
48	..	131	..	D. D. Patirana	..	Aparekka Vernacular Boys' School	.. 414
48	..	54	..	Don Augustino	..	Heiyantuduwa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 414
50	..	183	..	E. Ukku Banda	..	Ehetuwewa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 412
51	..	148	..	M. D. Juwanis Appuhamy	..	Morahela Vernacular Boys' School	.. 411
52	..	48	..	Subathenis Appu	..	Dewalapola Vernacular Boys' School	.. 404
52	..	64	..	M. D. Marku	..	Nawagamuwa Vernacular Boys' School	.. 404
54	..	65	..	D. B. R. Jayawardana	..	Jaltara Vernacular Boys' School	.. 403
55	..	144	..	D. P. Ratnayaka	..	Dorawaka Vernacular Boys' School	.. 402
56	..	93	..	P. Punchisinno	..	Galpata Vernacular Boys' School	.. 401
57	..	162	..	W. B. Disanayaka	..	Pujapitiya Vernacular Boys' School	.. 400
58	..	140	..	Punchi Banda	..	Ganetenna Vernacular Boys' School	.. 399
59	..	142	..	H. R. Gunaratna	..	Hettimulla Vernacular Boys' School	.. 396
				Females.		Maximum	950
1	..	20	..	D. B. W. Jayasekara	..	Kirindiwela Vernacular Girls' School	.. 577
2	..	103	..	M. Bebynona	..	Bentota Vernacular Girls' School	.. 526
3	..	22	..	D. M. Jayasingha	..	Doranegoda Vernacular Girls' School	.. 501
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Mr. Sidney Long ... Dangan Mixed Vernacular Estate (C) School, which is situated in Asgeria korale of the Matale District of the Central Province.  
Do. ... Mandandawela Tamil Mixed School, which is situated in Kohonsiya pattu korale of the Matale District of the Central Province.

Observations will be received not later than December 26, 1908.

Department of Public Instruction,  
Colombo, November 24, 1908.

J. HARWARD,  
Director.

**Church of the Holy Trinity, Nuwara Eliya.**

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Seat-holders of the above Church will be held in the Vestry on Sunday, December 27, 1908, at 11.45 A.M., for the election of three new Trustees of the said Church for the year commencing January 1, 1909.

JULIA LAYARD,  
T. G. HAYES,  
J. N. CAMPBELL, } Trustees.  
F. BARTLETT,  
CHARLES P. H. REYNOLDS,  
Chairman.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that a General Meeting of the Members of the Independent Catholic Cathedral of Our Lady of Good Death, Hulftsdorp, will be held on Monday, December 7, 1908, at 5.30 P.M., at the Mission House attached to the said Cathedral of Our Lady of Good Death, for the purpose of electing Trustees for the said Cathedral and its temporalities for the year 1909, under the provisions of Ordinance No. 5 of 1864.

J. J. HAKEL.  
STEPHEN SILVA.  
R. J. A. KERNER.  
K. D. INNOCENT.  
C. FERNANDO.

Cathedral of Our Lady of Good Death, Hulftsdorp,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**A** MEETING of the Seat-holders of All Saints' Church, Hulftsdorp, will be held at the Vestry of the Church on Friday, December 25, 1908, at 5.15 P.M., in accordance with the provisions of section 11 of Ordinance No. 12 of 1846, for the purpose of electing three Trustees for the year 1909.

H. B. GOONATILAKA,  
Incumbent, All Saints', Hulftsdorp.

November 25, 1908.

**A** PPLICATIONS are hereby invited for the post of Draughtsman to be created in the Office of the Conservator of Forests, Headquarters, Kandy, with effect from January 1, 1909. The initial salary of the post is Rs. 500 a year, rising by annual increments of Rs. 50 for the first four years to Rs. 700, and thereafter by annual increments of Rs. 100 to Rs. 1,100.

2. Candidates for appointment should submit their applications before December 15, 1908, stating their qualifications for the post, together with specimens of their work in map drawing and plan tracing.

3. Certificates of competency, age, respectability, and moral character should also accompany the applications.

T. J. CAMPBELL,  
Conservator of Forests.

Kandy, November 26, 1908.

**NOTICES CALLING FOR TENDERS.**

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the supply of the best kallundai rice to the following districts from January 1, 1909, to August 31, 1909:—

*Awisawella District.*

To be delivered at Kuruganmodara, Kuruwita, Parakaduwa, Avisawella, Dehiowita, Karawanella, Yatiyantota, Kitulgala, Polatagama, Ruanwella, and Wahakula.

*Kegalla District.*

To be delivered at Ritigahaoya, Bulatkohupitiya, Undugoda, Kegalla, Mawanella, Aranayaka, Rambukkana, Polgahawela, Ambanpitiya, Nilandana, and Ambepussa.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Rice, Public Works Department, Province of Sabaragamuwa," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on December 8, 1908.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the rice tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets or bottles at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, not later than midday on December 8, 1908.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label, on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the Gazette number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party failed to submit in

accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

9. Specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, Ratnapura.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and to perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 500 for each district, for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Province of Sabaragamuwa, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

11. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, November 6, 1908.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for the transport of materials by cart in the Hambantota District of the Southern Province during the year 1909 as follows:—

From Hambantota to any point on the principal roads or *vice versa* at — cents per cwt. per mile.

*Note.*—In the event of the contractors being called upon to transport outside the town of Hambantota a quantity of material less than 15 cwt. in weight, unless such quantity is an ordinary cart load, the quantity transported will be paid as per 15 cwt. in weight. The loading and unloading of stores into and from carts to be done by and at the expense of the contractor.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, and duplicate direct to the Director of Public Works, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tenders for transport of Materials, Public Works Department, Hambantota District," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and the Director of Public Works, Colombo, not later than midday on Tuesday, December 8, 1908.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained, any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

6. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

7. Specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle.

8. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 150, for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Southern Province, Galle, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

9. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, November 11, 1908.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for supplying the under-mentioned materials to be delivered at the Public Works Department Yard, Batticaloa, Kalmunai, and Trincomalee:—

*List of Materials.*

Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., each.

Baskets, rattan, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep, each.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in., per 1,000.

Lime, boiled, per bushel.

Lime, slaked and screened, per bushel.

Tiles, half round, 10 in., per 1,000.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, and duplicate direct to the Director of Public Works, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Eastern Province, 1909," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Batticaloa, and the Director of Public Works not later than midday on November 30, 1908.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Provincial Engineer or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, not later than midday on November 30, 1908:—

Basket, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.

Baskets, rattan, 15 in. diameter top, 4 in. diameter bottom, 8 in. deep.

Bricks, slop, 9 in. by 4½ in. by 3 in.

Tiles, half round, 10 in.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label, on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide*

tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

9. Specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 100, for each district for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Eastern Province, Batticaloa, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

11. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, November 7, 1908.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for supplying the under-mentioned materials during 1909 for the following districts: Jaffna, Pallai, Vavuniya, and Mannar, in the Northern Province:—

*List of Materials.*

- Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., per 100.
- Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in., per 100.
- Baskets, ola, water, each.
- Tiles, Coast, 9 in. long, per 1,000.
- Bricks, Colombo, per 1,000.
- Lime made from coral chips, per bushel.
- Lime shell, per bushel.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, the original being forwarded to the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and duplicate direct to the Director of Public Works, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Materials, Public Works Department, Northern Province, 1909," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and the Director of Public Works, Colombo, not later than midday on December 8, 1908.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the office of the Provincial Engineer, or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the following articles tendered for are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, not later than midday on December 8, 1908:—

- Baskets, naar, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
- Baskets, ola, not under 12 in. by 12 in. by 8 in.
- Baskets, ola, water.
- Tiles, Coast, 9 in. long.
- Bricks, Colombo.
- Lime made from coral chips.
- Lime shell.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label, on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus

obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

9. Specification may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 150, for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

11. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, November 16, 1908.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply and delivery of road metal (broken stone to pass every way through a 2-inch ring) during 1909 for the use of the Public Works Department at the following places in the Northern Province:—

- (a) At Mullaittivu beach, near the Customs, at — per cube.
- (b) At Mannar beach, near the Customs, at — per cube.
- (c) At Pesalai beach, near the Customs, at — per cube.

2. All tenders must be in duplicate, both copies being sealed in the same envelope, and addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders must be marked "Tender for Supply of Road Metal in the Northern Province" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on December 8, 1908.

4. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent to him through the post.

5. Samples of the metal to be supplied are to be deposited in sealed packets at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, not later than midday on December 8, 1908.

6. To each sample must be firmly attached a label, on which is stated the name of the tenderer, the *Gazette* number of the notice calling for the tender, and the description of the article adopted in his tender.

7. Tenders must be on forms which may be obtained at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form thus obtained. Any alterations made in tenders should bear the initials of the tenderer, and all tenders containing alterations not so initialled will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. Parties applying for form of tender will be required to deposit the sum of Rs. 50 either at the

Treasury or the Kachcheri, and produce a receipt for the same. Should the party fail to submit in accordance with the terms of the specification a *bona fide* tender, or to enter into the necessary contract, the sum of Rs. 50 deposited will be forfeited by way of ascertained and liquidated damages. Upon a contract being entered into, the deposits of unsuccessful *bona fide* tenderers will be returned.

9. Specifications may be seen, and further information obtained, on application at the Office of the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna.

10. Before any tender is accepted the contractor will be required to sign a contract to execute and perform the works in accordance with the specification and the general conditions therein set forth, and to deposit a sum of Rs. 350 in each district, for the due and faithful performance of the contract, within ten days of receiving notice in writing signed by the Provincial Engineer, Northern Province, Jaffna, that the Government is prepared to accept his tender.

11. The Government does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender, and reserves to itself the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

T. H. CHAPMAN,  
for Director of Public Works.

Public Works Department,  
Colombo, November 16, 1908.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the supply of the following materials, viz., nar baskets, ola mats, ola bags, coconut oil, castor oil, kerosine oil, palmyra olas, coir and ekel brooms, coir strings, and gunny bags, to be delivered when required at the General Stores, Jaffna; Salt Pans, Chivalteru; and Tondaimannar Store during the year 1909.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Government Agent, Northern Province, Jaffna.

3. Tenders should either be handed in personally in the Office of the Government Agent, Jaffna, or to be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for supplying Materials, 1909," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Jaffna Kachcheri not later than 2 p.m. on December 15, 1908.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Jaffna Kachcheri, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Government Agent, Northern Province, that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Samples must be deposited on date of tender.

9. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond, and all other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5.

10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

E. T. HUGHES,  
for Government Agent.

November 5, 1908.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for Scavenging Teldeniya," will be received by the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province, at the Kandy Kachcheri, till December 15, 1908, 12 noon. Other particulars can be had at the Kandy Kachcheri.

K. PERKS,  
for J. P. LEWIS,  
Government Agent.  
Kandy Kachcheri,  
November 21, 1908.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tenders for Scavenging Mailapitiya," will be received by the Hon. the Government Agent, Central Province, at the Kandy Kachcheri, till December 15, 1908, 12 noon. Other particulars can be had at the Kandy Kachcheri.

K. PERKS,  
for J. P. LEWIS,  
Government Agent.  
Kandy Kachcheri,  
November 21, 1908.

**SEPARATE** Tenders are hereby invited for supplying sherry wine for the Civil Medical Stores during the year 1909.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Civil Medical Stores, 1909," in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals not later than midday on December 1, 1908.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Samples for the articles tendered for must be deposited at the Civil Medical Stores, Maradana, and the Government Stores.

9. The successful tenderers will be required to give cash security as to the extent of Rs. 50, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of the contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form the cash security. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Alterations in the tender form should be initialled, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Colombo, November 4, 1908

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for supplying Bull and Driver" will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, from persons willing to supply a bull and a driver for the dead-house cart to carry the dead of the General Hospital, Colombo, and De Soysa Lying-in Home, also for removal of infectious disease cases to the Kanatta Hospital, and also to convey bodies from the Ceylon Medical College to the post-mortem room and *vice versa*, from January 1 to December 31, 1909, at — per month.

2. Tenders should be in duplicate, and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Principal Civil Medical Officer.

3. The successful tenderer will be required to keep a servant at the hospital premises night and day to receive orders for bulls and drivers.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form, and the tender and the schedules attached thereto signed in the presence of two respectable witnesses.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs 25; and should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. The amount deposited for tender forms by the successful tenderer will be retained as security, which will be deposited in the Colombo Kachcheri to my credit.

7. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should bear his initials, otherwise the tender will be treated as informal and rejected.

8. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

9. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,

for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveying Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Railway Station, Anuradhapura, to the hospitals and dispensaries at the following stations, viz. :—

Name of Station.	Distance from Anuradhapura Miles.
Anuradhapura ..	1½
Mihintale ..	8
Kahatagasdigiliya ..	21
Noochiyagama ..	14
Tambuttagama ..	16
Maradankadawala ..	21
Kekirawa ..	28
Yakalla ..	35
Egodapattu ..	73
Habarana ..	36
Kalawewa ..	37
Topawewa ..	63

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the

Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alterations should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Anuradhapura.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,

for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveying Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Provincial Surgeon's Office, Batticaloa, to the hospitals and dispensaries at the following stations, viz. :—

Name of Station.	Distance from Batticaloa Miles.
Kattankudi ..	4
Paddiruppu ..	16
Kalmunai ..	24
Karunkoditivu ..	38
Irakkamam (Nadukadu) ..	42
Tirikovil ..	46
Pottuvil ..	66
Eravur ..	10
Maha-oya ..	36
Kathiravaly ..	44
Valaichenai ..	21

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alterations should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Batticaloa.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,

for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo. November 4, 1908.

**S**EALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveyance of Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Provincial Surgeon's Office, Galle, to the hospital and (or) dispensaries at the following stations:—

Name of Station.	Distance from nearest Railway Station. Miles.
Angunukolapelessa..	.. 64
Baddegama ..	.. 12
Batapola ..	.. 18
Beliatta ..	.. 48
Beralapanatara ..	.. 53
Deniyaya ..	.. 53½
Deiyandera ..	.. 48
Dikwella ..	.. 40
Elpitiya ..	.. 25
Hakmana ..	.. 42
Hiniduma ..	.. 33
Imaduwa ..	.. 13½
Katuwana <i>via</i> Tangalla ..	.. 76
Kirama <i>via</i> Tangalla ..	.. 70
Kotapola ..	.. 46
Kottegoda ..	.. 36
Morawaka ..	.. 40
Nagoda ..	.. 18
Ranna ..	.. 58
Talawa ..	.. 69
Tihagoda ..	.. 32
Udugama ..	.. 24
Walasmulla ..	.. 62
Wandurambe ..	.. 13
Wiraketiya ..	.. 60

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Galle.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,

for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tenders for conveying Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Railway Station, Matale, to the hospitals and dispensaries at the following stations, viz.:—

Name of Station.	Distance from nearest Railway Station. Miles.
Aluvihare ..	.. 3
Dambulla ..	.. 29
Gallewella ..	.. 39
Gammaduwa ..	.. 14
Kongahawala ..	.. 23
Matale Hospital ..	.. ½
Mousaheriya ..	.. 17
Nalanda ..	.. 14
Paldeniya ..	.. 11
Rattotta ..	.. 7

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown.

All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Kandy.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveyance of Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Provincial Surgeon's Office, Ratnapura, to the hospitals and (or) dispensaries at the following stations:—

Name of Station.	Distance from Provincial Surgeon's Office. Miles.
Balangoda ..	28
Dankotuwa ..	(not stated)
Ellagawa ..	19
Embilipitiya ..	47
Godakawala ..	25
Kalawana ..	18
Kolonna ..	41
Mahawalatenna ..	35
Pelmadulla ..	12
Rakwana ..	28

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chair of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Ratnapura.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveying Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Railway Station, Bandarawela, to the hospitals and dispensaries at the following stations, viz.:—

Name of Station.	Distance from nearest Railway Station. Miles.
Alutnuwara ..	48
Badulla ..	18
Bandarawela ..	1
Bibile ..	56
Lunugala ..	44
Madulsima ..	42
Medagama ..	66
Passara ..	30
Namunukula ..	17
Taldena ..	28
Welimada ..	10

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chair of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.



9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Badulla.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveying Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Railway Station, Jaffna, to the hospitals and dispensaries at the following stations, viz. :—

Name of Station.	Distance from nearest Railway Station. Miles.
Batticotta ..	7
Delft ..	29
Kayts ..	15
Mannar ..	65
Pallavarayakadu ..	35
Punakari ..	20
Puttur ..	9½
Pungudutivu ..	25
Mantota ..	73
Marichchikkaddi ..	98
Pesalai ..	75
Silavaturai ..	75
Talaimannar ..	83
Vankalai ..	71
Vidaltativu ..	53

\* Stores are first taken to Mannar and then transported.

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Jaffna.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.  
Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EALED Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tenders for conveying Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Railway Station, Kandy, to the hospitals and dispensaries at the following stations, viz. :—

Name of Station.	Distance from nearest Railway Station. Miles.
Deltota ..	23
Galegedara ..	11½
Hanguranketa ..	17
Kandy Hospital ..	18
Kandy Outdoor Dispensary ..	18
Madugoda ..	29
Maturata ..	29
Mulhalkele ..	38
Nildandehena ..	43
Padiyapellella ..	26
Rangalla ..	28
Teldeniya ..	15½

2. All tenders should be in duplicate, and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kacheheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due performance of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Kandy.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.  
Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveying Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Railway Station at Haputale to the hospitals and dispensaries at the following stations, viz. :—

Name of Station.	Distance from the Railway Station.	Miles.
Buttala ..	..	38
Haldummulla ..	..	6
Haputale ..	..	1
Koslanda ..	..	15
Moneragalla ..	..	50
Tanamalwila ..	..	50
Wellawaya ..	..	28

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25 ; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Badulla.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.  
Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**SEPARATE** Tenders [are hereby invited for supplying fresh cow milk for the use of Kandy hospital for the year 1909.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for supplying fresh cow milk to the \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than

midday on December 8, 1908. The name of the hospital must be inserted on the envelope.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals or from the respective Medical Officers, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 25 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. If required samples must be deposited.

9. The successful tenderers will be required to give cash security to the extent of Rs. 50, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the cash security. It is left to the option of the successful tenderer to substitute at any time thereafter for cash deposited by him approved title deeds and to enter into a fresh bond at his expense. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Alteration in the tender form should be initialled, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.  
Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1908.

**SEALED** Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for conveyance of Stores," will be received up to 12 noon on Tuesday, December 8, 1908, for conveying packages of medicines, stationery, &c., during 1909, from the Railway Station, Kurunegala, to the hospital and (or) dispensaries at the following stations :—

Name of Station.	Distance from nearest Railway Station.	Miles.
Anamaduwa ..	..	41
Andigama ..	..	49
Dandagamuwa ..	..	26
Dodangaslanda ..	..	17
Hettipola ..	..	26
Kurunegala hospital ..	..	1½
Narammala ..	..	13
Wariyapola ..	..	13
Katupota ..	..	23
Rambodagalla ..	..	19
Mawatagama ..	..	7½
Puttalam ..	..	55

2. Tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil

Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is furnished on the recognized form.

5. Every tenderer will be required to make a deposit (on applying for forms) of Rs. 25; and should any tenderer decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit shall be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned after the contract has been signed. The deposit must be made at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and the deposit receipt must be produced to the officer issuing the form as his authority for making the issue.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. The person whose tender has been accepted by Government will be required to give within a fortnight from date of notification of acceptance of tender cash security to the extent of Rs. 100 for the due performance of the contract.

8. In case any person makes any alterations in his tender before forwarding it, such alteration should invariably bear his initials, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

9. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Provincial Surgeon, Kurunegala.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 4, 1908.

**S**EPARATE Tenders are hereby invited for supplying provisions for the use of each of the hospitals named in the schedule hereunder during the year 1909.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Provisioning the \_\_\_\_\_ Hospital" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on December 8, 1908. The name of the hospital must be inserted on the envelope.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit according to the schedule hereunder will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security if called upon for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. If required samples must be deposited.

9. The successful tenderers will be required to give such security as stated in the schedule hereunder, and to sign the bond given in the tender for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount deposited for tender forms will form part of the cash security.

Deposits on account of security of Rs. 500 and over will be lodged as fixed deposits in a local bank if required. It is left to the option of the successful tenderer to substitute at any time thereafter for cash deposited by him approved title deeds and to enter into a fresh bond at his expense. Any further information can be obtained on application to the Principal Civil Medical Officer and Inspector-General of Hospitals.

10. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled. Alterations in the tender form should be initialled, otherwise the tender may be treated as informal and rejected.

11. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

#### SCHEDULE.

Name of Hospital.	Amount Required to be deposited for Tender Form (vide Para 6). Rs.	Amount of Security in Cash (vide Para 9). Rs.
Immigrant Hospital, Dambulla ..	125	250
Civil Hospital, Kalmunai ..	150	300
Civil Hospital, Point Pedro ..	75	150
Field Hospital, Dandugama ..	100	200
Civil Hospital, Batticaloa ..	125	250

C. T. GRIFFIN,  
for Principal Civil Medical Officer and  
Inspector-General of Hospitals.

Principal Civil Medical Office,  
Colombo, November 12, 1908.

**T**ENDERS are hereby invited for felling, sawing, and transport of railway sleepers from Kiriwelhena forest during 1909, viz. :—

10,000 broad gauge palu, milla, mi, and-kumbuk railway sleepers of 9 feet by 10 inches by 5 inches, and 7,000 narrow gauge sleepers of 5 feet by 9 inches by 4½ inches from Kiriwelhena forest, situate from 3 to 6 miles east of the 40th milepost on the Matale-Dambulla road, distance about 25 miles to Railway Station, Matale.

The whole of the work to be completed within one year from date of entering into agreement.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should either be deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for felling, sawing, and transport of Railway Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on December 15, 1908.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kurunegala Division, Kurunegala, and no tenders will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or in a Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Deputy Conservator of Forests, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 5.

9. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

H. F. C. FYERS,  
Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Kurunegala Division.

Kurunegala, October 30, 1908.

**TENDERS** will be received by the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, up to midday on Thursday, December 3, 1908, from persons desirous of purchasing the branch wood of 200 satinwood trees felled in Resendrakulam forest, about eight miles by road from Vavuniya.

Persons desirous of purchasing the wood should deposit in a Kacheheri the sum of Rs. 20 and forward the receipt therefor to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, who will on receiving the receipt issue the proper form of tender in duplicate. No other form of tender will be recognized.

The tender in original should be sent to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, and the duplicate direct to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy, both being despatched at the same time.

The Conservator of Forests reserves the right to reject any or all tenders, and to accept any portion of a tender.

Four months from date of acceptance of tender will be allowed for collecting and removing the wood.

The whole purchase amount should be paid to the Assistant Conservator of Forests, Jaffna, before a permit to collect and remove is issued.

Should the successful tenderer fail to deposit the amount of his offer within a fortnight of his being called upon to do so, his deposit of Rs. 20 for a tender form will be forfeited, and he will be required to pay the difference between his offer and the next highest offer to the tenderer of which the wood will be sold.

FRED. J. S. TURNER,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Jaffna Division.

Forest Office,  
Jaffna, November 3, 1908.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, for the supply of 300 broad gauge 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. and 150 narrow gauge 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. sleepers within three months from the date of contract from the forests called Walpitamukalana in Alutkuru korale, Western Province.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed, and the original should be sent to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and the duplicate to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Railway Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and Conservator of Forests not later than midday on December 15, 1908.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the

Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Colombo, Ratnapura, or Kalutara Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to be security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond and other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 4.

8. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

9. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

ED. L. BOYD MOSS,  
Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Colombo Division.

Colombo, November 18, 1908.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, for the supply of 300 broad gauge 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. and 150 narrow gauge 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. sleepers within three months from the date of contract from the forests called Heramitikanda and Kalugalkanda, Kalutara District.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed, and the original should be sent to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and the duplicate to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Railway Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and Conservator of Forests not later than midday on December 15, 1908.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Colombo, Ratnapura, or Kalutara Kacheheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued; should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or fail to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to be security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond and other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 4.

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ED. L. BOYD MOSS,  
Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Colombo Division.

Colombo, November 18, 1908.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, for the supply of 300 broad gauge 9 ft. by 10 in. by 5 in. and 150 narrow gauge 5 ft. by 9 in. by 4½ in. sleepers within three months from the date of contract from the forests called Mirishena *alias* Mara-atula in Hewagam korale, Western Province.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed, and the original should be sent to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and the duplicate to the Conservator of Forests, Kandy.

3. Tenders should be marked "Tender for the Supply of Railway Sleepers" in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and Conservator of Forests not later than midday on December 15, 1908.

4. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Office of the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Colombo Division, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

5. A deposit of Rs. 20 will be required to be made at the Colombo, Ratnapura, or Kalutara Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued; should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond, or failed to furnish approved security, within ten days of receiving notice in writing from the Head of the Department or his duly authorized representative that his tender has been accepted, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of contract.

6. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to be security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

7. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond and other necessary information can be ascertained upon application at the office referred to in section 4.

8. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

9. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

ED. L. BOYD MOSS,  
Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Colombo Division.

Colombo, November 18, 1908.

**TENDERS** are hereby invited for the following works:—

*Service A.*

To fell within six inches of the ground 3,000 palai, milla, mi, and satinwood trees, more or less, in an area in the North-Central Province, enclosed by the Madawachchiya-Mannar road, the Province boundary,

the Kanadara-oya, and the Railway line; to saw the utilizable portions of these trees into broad gauge sleepers, and to deliver the sleepers neatly stacked near the Madawachchiya-Mannar road at Irambakulam. Any portions of the trees which will not yield broad gauge sleepers must be sawn into narrow gauge sleepers if possible, and these must be delivered in the same manner as the broad gauge.

*Service B.*

To fell within six inches of the ground 2,000 palai, milla, mi, and satinwood trees, more or less, in an area in the North-Central Province, enclosed within the boundary of the Bu-oya proposed reserve, the Province boundary, the Madawachchiya-Mannar road, and the Railway line; to saw the utilizable portions of these trees into broad gauge sleepers, and to deliver the sleepers neatly stacked near the Madawachchiya-Mannar road at Irambakulam. Any portions of the trees which will not yield broad gauge sleepers must be sawn into narrow gauge sleepers if possible, and these must be delivered in the same manner as the broad gauge.

*Service C.*

To fell within six inches of the ground 2,000 palai, milla, mi, and satinwood trees, more or less, in an area in the North-Central Province, covered by the Mahagalkadawala and Kanughewa forests; to saw the utilizable portions of these trees into broad gauge sleepers, and to deliver the sleepers neatly stacked near the Madawachchiya railway station. Any portions of the trees which will not yield broad gauge sleepers must be sawn into narrow gauge sleepers if possible, and these must be delivered in the same manner as the broad gauge.

2. All tenders should be in duplicate and sealed under one cover, and should be addressed to the Chairman of the Tender Board, Office of the Controller of Revenue, Colombo.

3. Tenders should be either deposited in the tender box in the Office of the Controller of Revenue or be sent through the post.

4. Tenders should be marked "Tender for Sleeper Service," A, B, C, as the case may be, in the left hand top corner of the envelope, and should reach the Office of the Controller of Revenue not later than midday on Tuesday, December, 15, 1908. For each service A, B, C, there must be a separate tender.

5. The tenders are to be made upon forms which will be supplied upon application at the Forest Office, Jaffna, and no tender will be considered unless it is on the recognized form.

6. A deposit for each service of Rs. 50 will be required to be made either at the Treasury or Kachcheri, and a receipt produced for the same before any form of tender is issued. Should any person decline to enter into the contract and bond after he has tendered, or fail to furnish approved security, such deposit will be forfeited to the Crown. All other deposits will be returned upon signature of a contract.

7. Each tender must be accompanied by a letter signed by two responsible persons, whose addresses must be given, engaging to become security for the due fulfilment of the contract.

8. Sufficient sureties will be required to join in a bond for the due fulfilment of each contract. The amount of each bond, and all other necessary information, can be ascertained upon application at the offices referred to in section 5.

9. No tender will be considered unless in respect of it all the conditions above laid down have been strictly fulfilled.

10. The Government reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of a tender.

11. Only such trees as have been marked by the Forest Department for these purposes should be felled.

12. Each service must be completed within nine months of the date of contract.

13. A rate per broad gauge and a rate per narrow gauge sleeper delivered must be quoted both in words and figures.

14. A cash security of Rs. 500 will be required on each service at the time of entering into contract.

FRED. J. S. TURNER,  
Assistant Conservator of Forests,  
Jaffna Division.

Forest Office, Jaffna,  
November 17, 1908.

**S**EALD Tenders, marked on the envelopes "Tender for the rental of the Three Fish Stalls in the Hatton Market," will be received at the Local Board Office only up to 10.30 A.M. on December 5, 1908, for a period of 12 months, commencing from January 1, 1909, for the sale of fresh fish only.

Separate tenders may be sent in for each stall.

The Board reserves to itself the right, without question, of rejecting any or all tenders, and the right of accepting any portion of any tender.

A. J. LANTRA,  
Secretary.

Local Board Office,  
Hatton, November 13, 1908.

### SALES OF UNSERVICEABLE ARTICLES.

**N**OTICE is hereby given that the under-mentioned confiscated property will be sold by public auction at the Police Court, Kalutara, on Thursday, December 10, 1908, at 2 P.M.:

1 box containing 50 lb. dynamite.

Minor Courts,  
Kalutara, November 24, 1908.

JOHN E. DE SILVA,  
Police Magistrate.

### VITAL STATISTICS.

#### Weekly Health Report of the City of Colombo for the Week ended November 21, 1908.

*Births.*—The total births registered were 93. The birth-rate per 1,000 per annum was 27.0,\* as against 25.2 in the preceding week and 27.4 in the corresponding week of last year.

*Deaths.*—The total deaths registered were 156, including 7 deaths of town residents, who died in the Infectious Diseases Hospital at Kanatta. The death-rate per 1,000 per annum was 50.4,† as against 36.8 in the previous week and 31.9 in the corresponding week of last year.

*Infantile Deaths.*—Of the 156 total deaths, 39 were of infants under 1 year of age, as against 26 in the corresponding week of the previous year.

*Causes of Death.*—There were five deaths registered from Cholera (against 1 in the previous week), of which 4 were from the Borella Convict Hospital and the other from No. 29, Grandpass, in New Bazaar Ward. During the week 9 cases of illness from Cholera were reported (8 from Welikada jail). The origin of this epidemic has not yet been ascertained. The previous epidemic lasted a fortnight in July, causing 6 deaths. 21 deaths were registered in the week from Diarrhoea and Dysentery.

Fifteen deaths were registered from Phthisis (against 10 in the previous week), of which 6 were from Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 3 from New Bazaar, 2 from Kotahena, 2 in the General Hospital (a patient from outside the town, and another whose residence was not known), and 1 each from Fort and Pettah. 15 deaths were registered from Bronchitis and Pneumonia.

Thirteen deaths were registered from Enteric Fever (against 8 in the previous week and 8 and 11 in the two preceding weeks), of which 4 were from Kollupitiya, 3 from Maradana (exclusive of hospitals), 2 each from New Bazaar and Slave Island, 1 from St. Sebastian, and 1 in the General Hospital (a patient from outside the town). During the week 34 cases of illness from Enteric Fever were reported to the Municipal authorities (against 32 in the previous week).

Eleven deaths were registered from Smallpox in the Infectious Diseases Hospital, Kanatta (against 4 in the previous week), of which 7 were of Colombo town residents (4 from Maradana, 2 from St. Paul's, and 1 from Kollupitiya), and the three others from outside the town. Only the seven former are here taken into account. During the week 16 cases of Smallpox (2 from the Lunatic Asylum) were reported (against 21 in the previous week); also 30 cases of Measles and 7 of Chickenpox.

Other details are given in the annexed Tables.

\* Calculated on the estimated population on July 1, 1908, viz., 180,262.

† These are the corrected rates, i.e., the rates calculated for the population of the town estimated on July 1, 1908, on the basis that its age- and sex-constitution is the same as for the Island.

Registrar-General's Office,  
Colombo, November 24, 1908.

P. ARUNACHALAM,  
Registrar-General.

## Colombo Town.

Ward.	Population at the Census, 1901.	Births.	Deaths.	Birth-rate per Mille per Annum.			Death-rate per Mille per Annum. (See note † in Report.)			Selected Causes of Death for the Week under Report.							Deaths of Infants under 1 Year.		Still Births.		
				Week under Report.	Preceding Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.	Week under Report.	Preceding Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.	Cholera.	Smallpox.	Measles.	Enteric Fever.	Other Fevers.	Diarrhoea and Dysentery.	Phthisis.	Bronchitis and Pneumonia.	Infantile Convulsions.		Week under Report.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.
Colombo Town	155,869	93	156	27·0	25·2	27·4	50·4	36·8	31·9	5	7	13	2	21	15	15	19	39	26	4	
Fort and Galle Face	2,285	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
Pettah	7,561	—	6	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Sebastian	9,349	1	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
St. Paul's	20,260	4	15	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	—	4	6	—	—	—	—
Kotahena	33,355	28	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2	2	4	2	—	—	—	—
New Bazaar	17,470	7	21	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	3	3	—	—	—	—
Maradana	30,381	12	19	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	1	2	1	—	—	—	—
Slave Island	16,927	17	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	3	7	6	2	3	—	—
Kollupitiya	18,281	6	14	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	2	2	1	3	—	—	—

† Maradana hospitals. The number of deaths (19) is exclusive of 11, which have been assigned to the proper wards.

§ Maradana, exclusive of hospitals.

Race.	Population at the Census of 1901.	Births.	Deaths.	Meteorology.	Week under Report.	Preceding Week.	Corresponding Week of previous Year.
All races	155,869	93	156				
Europeans	2,657	2	3	Mean temperature of air	80·3°	79·4°	80·2°
Burghers	11,861	3	11	Mean atmospheric pressure	29·960"	29·989"	29·970"
Sinhalese	68,772	58	81	Rainfall in the week	0·00"	0·07"	0·76"
Tamils	34,640	11	30				
Moors	28,898	15	21				
Malays	4,493	3	6				
Others	4,548	1	4				